

**B.A. DEGREE IN MUSIC**  
**WITH B.A. HISTORY DOUBLE-MAJOR**  
**EFFECTIVE FALL 2024**

**Total Hours for the two majors:** 126

**Total Hours of Pre-requisites:** None, unless the music theory placement exam requires the student to take Music Theory I (MUS 118, 3 hours) or Aural Skills I (MUS 108, 1 hour).

- **An audition is required for admission to the major.**
- With the approval of the studio instructor, BA students may take any combination of 8 hours of Major (107, 207, etc.) or Minor (106, 206, etc.) Applied Music lessons.
- Students may finish earlier if they attend summer school at WCU or another approved institution.

FRESHMAN YEAR							
FALL				SPRING			
Prefix/LS Category	Number	Title	Hrs	Prefix/LS Category	Number	Title	Hrs
*MUS	107	Applied Major	2	MUS	107	Applied Major	2
<b>*(MUS)</b>	<b>(108)</b>	Aural Skills I	(1)	<b>MUS</b>	<b>208</b>	Aural Skills II	1
<b>*(MUS)</b>	<b>(118)</b>	Music Theory I	(3)	<b>MUS</b>	<b>218</b>	Music Theory II	3
<b>*MUS</b>	<b>148</b>	Piano I	1	<b>MUS</b>	<b>149</b>	Piano II	1
MUS	358	Concert Attendance	0	MUS	358	Concert Attendance	0
**MUS		Major Ensemble	1	**MUS		Major Ensemble	1
FYS		First-year Seminar	3	ENGL	101	Writing and Rhetoric	3
MATH	101 or higher	Mathematics	3	HIST P3		European History (advisor approval)	3
MFL	101	Foreign Language	3	MFL	102	Foreign Language	3
<b>***Total</b>			<b>13</b>	<b>Total</b>			<b>17</b>
<p>*PREQ: Audition or Placement Test  **Six <i>semesters</i> of ensembles are required, chosen in consultation with the major advisor.  ***An additional 1-4 hours may be needed if placed into MUS 108 (1) and/or 118 (3).</p>							

SOPHOMORE YEAR							
FALL				SPRING			
Prefix/LS Category	Number	Title	Hrs	Prefix/LS Category	Number	Title	Hrs
				**MUS	305	Recital	0
*MUS	207	Applied Major	2	**MUS	207	Applied Major	2
<b>MUS</b>	<b>308</b>	Aural Skills III	1	<b>MUS</b>	<b>309</b>	Aural Skills IV	1
<b>MUS</b>	<b>318</b>	Music Theory III	3	<b>MUS</b>	<b>319</b>	Music Theory IV	3
<b>MUS</b>	<b>248</b>	Piano III	1	<b>MUS</b>	<b>249</b>	Piano IV	1
MUS	358	Concert Attendance	0	MUS	358	Concert Attendance	0
MUS		Major Ensemble	1	MUS		Major Ensemble	1
ENGL	202	Writing and Critical Inquiry	3	COMM	201	Foundations of Communication	3
HIST		American (advisor approval)	3	HIST	297	Sophomore Seminar	3
MFL	231	Foreign Language	3	MFL	232	Foreign Language	3
<b>Total</b>			<b>17</b>	<b>Total</b>			<b>17</b>
<p>*PREQ: Freshman Performance Exam  **You must register for MUS 305 (your public recital) during this final semester of lessons.</p>							

JUNIOR YEAR							
FALL				SPRING			
Prefix/LS Category	Number	Title	Hrs	Prefix/LS Category	Number	Title	Hrs
<b>MUS</b>	<b>418</b>	Music History I	3	<b>MUS</b>	<b>419</b>	Music History II	3
MUS	358	Concert Attendance	0	MUS	358	Concert Attendance	0
MUS		Major Ensemble	1	MUS		Major Ensemble	1
C4		Wellness	3	<b>MUS</b>	<b>329</b>	Fundamentals of Conducting	2
C5		Phys. & Biol. Sciences	3	C5		Phys. & Biol. Sciences	3
HIST		World History (advisor approval)	3	*HIST	300-400 level	History electives (advisor approval)	3
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<b>Total</b>			<b>16</b>	<b>Total</b>			<b>15</b>

\*Nine hours of History courses must be taken at the 400-level.

SENIOR YEAR							
FALL				SPRING			
Prefix/LS Category	Number	Title	Hrs	Prefix/LS Category	Number	Title	Hrs
*MUS		Music electives (advisor approval)	3	*MUS		Music electives (advisor approval)	3
***P1		Social Sciences	3	MUS	474	Capstone	1
***P4		Humanities	3	****MUS P6	303	Worlds of Music	3
***P5		Fine & Performing Arts	3	***P1		Social Sciences	3
**HIST	300-400 level	History electives (advisor approval)	3	**HIST	300-400 level	History electives (advisor approval)	3
**HIST	300-400 level	History electives (advisor approval)	3	**HIST	400-level	History capstone (advisor approval)	3
<b>Total</b>			<b>18</b>	<b>Total</b>			<b>13</b>

\*Music Electives (6 hours total) must be in non-performance classes approved by the advisor.  
 \*\*Nine hours of History courses must be taken at the 400-level.  
 \*\*\*Upper Level Perspective (ULP): One *non-Music* Liberal Studies Perspectives course (approved for categories P1-P6) must be taken at the 300-400 level.  
 \*\*\*\*MUS 303 satisfies the Liberal Studies P6 requirement, *and* it satisfies the Upper Level Perspective (ULP) for History majors. You do not need another ULP for the Music major unless you drop the History double major.

Courses listed in **bold type** in the chart above are offered *only* in the Fall or the Spring semester. Failure to complete those courses in the semester/year shown is very likely to delay graduation by a semester or more. This is especially true for courses taken in the junior and senior years.